

REMARKS

This communication is submitted prior to the examination and concurrently with the filing of the instant application under 35 U.S.C. § 371. By this communication, the specification has been amended. The amendment is submitted in accordance with an amendment made during international stage under PCT Article 34 in connection with International Application No. PCT/JP2003/08352. Amendment to claims has also been made under PCT Article 34, the English translation of which is attached to this application as a part of English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(5)). No new matter has been entered.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this filing. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0013, under Order No. KKH-0034 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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